



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5863**

LCO No. 2734



Referred to Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Introduced by:  
REP. JUTILA, 37th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING WORKERS' COMPENSATION AND FAMILY  
AND MEDICAL LEAVE.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to prohibit an employer from
- 2 counting an employee's workers' compensation-related absence
- 3 concurrently with family and medical leave and to require that the
- 4 worker's job be retained while they are absent due to a workers'
- 5 compensation-related injury.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To ensure that workers do not lose any of their time mandated under the family and medical leave act when they have a workers' compensation-related absence and to build in protection so that their job is retained while out on workers' compensation leave.